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I am upset with the way that the PFJ fails to punish Microsoft for its historical pattern of illegal action and monopoly driven dominance of the computing industry.

In particular, the Proposed Final Judgment seems to do very little to actually 'punish' Microsoft. The entire agreement is vague, punishment is easily evaded, and the 'punishment' does very little to strike at the heart of their core business (which, unfortunately, seems to be the maintenance of their monopoly).

Those with more than five years of experience in the industry are fully conversant with MS's poor behavior and tendency to slide toward proprietary lock-in; I, as well as others, would be happy to comment upon their past indiscretions if need be.

Thanks so much for your time.

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